

## State of South Dakota



## Candidate's or Committee's Report of Receipts and Expenditures

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Candidates and candidate committees: File in the office where you filed your nominating petition.

PACs, political party, ballot question and other committees: File with Elections Department, Secretary of State's Office,  
500 E Capitol Ave., Pierre, SD 57501-5070

See pages 9 &amp; 10 of the Guideline Book for specific instructions on completing this report.

Name of Candidate or Committee Richard W. RichterComplete Mailing Address 1203 Baldwin St., Sturgis, SD 57785Name of Person Making Report Mary Ellen Murray Daytime Phone Number (605) 347-2581If you are a candidate, what office are you seeking? State Senator

If you are a ballot question committee, indicate which measure(s) the committee was involved with during the reporting period and whether the measure was supported or opposed.

Type of Report (See pages 4 & 5 of Guideline Book) Report of Receipts and ExpendituresFor Reporting Period Ending (See pages 4 & 5 of Guideline Book) 12/31/2004*The following verification must be completed before submitting report.*

## VERIFICATION OF PERSON MAKING REPORT

I Mary Ellen Murray (print name legibly), certify that I have examined this report and to the best of my knowledge and belief it is true, correct and complete.Date: 12/31/2004

Mary Ellen Murray  
 Candidate Signature or  
 Signature of Committee Treasurer or Chairperson

Revised July 2001

Filed this 6th day of  
January 05  
Chi Nelson  
 SECRETARY OF STATE

## Schedule A – Direct Contributions

**Unitemized Contributions from Individuals:**

### Itemized Contributions from Individuals

**Total of Itemized Contributions from Individuals:**

3,199.00



Name of Candidate or Committee: Richard W. RichterFor the reporting period ending: 12/31/2004**Schedule B - Fund-Raising Events Proceeds**

List on this schedule fund-raising events held to raise money for the candidate and the net proceeds derived from each event. If a contributor gives more than \$100 or their contribution results in their aggregate being more than \$100 in the calendar year, those contributions must be itemized on Schedule A.

Type or Name of Event	Net Proceeds

Total: \_\_\_\_\_

**Schedule C - In Kind Contributions**

Report all non-cash contributions of goods or services and the estimated fair market value. If the value exceeds \$100, the name of the contributor, residence address and place of employment must be reported.

Nature of Non-Cash Contribution	Name, Residence Address & Place of Employment	Estimated Value

Total: \_\_\_\_\_

**Schedule D - Other Income**

Use this schedule to report any refunds, interest earned or other income which is not a direct contribution.

Source of Income	Amount

Total: \_\_\_\_\_

## Schedule E – Expenditures

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\$9,798.23



Name of Candidate or Committee: Richard W. RichterFor the reporting period ending: 12/31/2004**Summary Page**

This summary sheet will give a brief outline of all campaign finance activity during this reporting period. Please transfer all totals from the schedules previously completed.

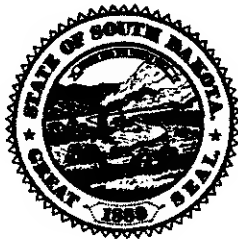
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|--|--|----------------------------|
| 1. Amount on hand, if any, at the beginning of the reporting period: |  | \$ <u>0.00</u>             |
| 2. Receipts  |  |                            |
| Schedule A - Direct Contributions                                    | \$ <del>4,712.18</del> 4462.18             |                            |
| Schedule B - Fund-Raising Events                                     | \$ _____                                   |                            |
| Schedule C - In Kind Contributions                                   | \$ _____                                   |                            |
| Schedule D - Other Income  | \$ _____                                   |                            |
| Total of all Receipts  | \$ <del>4,712.18</del> 4462.18             |                            |
| 3. Total Monetary Receipts (A+B+D)                                   |  | \$ 4,712.18                |
|  | Expenses paid by candidate out of pocket.  | 4,852.71                   |
| 4. Candidate's Personal Contribution to Own Campaign                 |  | \$ 2,500.00                |
| 5. Monetary Loans to Candidate or Committee During Reporting Period  |  | \$ _____                   |
| 6. Monetary Loans Repaid During Reporting Period                     |  | \$ _____                   |
|  | Partial expense reimbursement to candidate | 2,266.66                   |
| 7. Expenditures - Schedule E   |  | \$ 9,798.23                |
| 8. Unpaid Obligations - Schedule F                                   | \$ _____                                   |                            |
| 9. Amount on hand at the close of this reporting period. *           |  | <del>2266.66</del>         |
| This should equal lines (1+3+4+5) - (6+7)                            |  | \$ <del>0.00</del> 2016.66 |

*candidate transferred  
remaining balance of  
\$ 2016.66 to personal  
acct to reimburse  
for camp expenses*

*-2016.66  
#0.00*

# Secretary of State

State Capitol, Ste 204  
500 East Capitol Avenue  
Pierre, South Dakota  
57501-5070  
sdsos@state.sd.us



**Chris Nelson**  
Secretary of State

**Chad Heinrich**  
Deputy

## State of South Dakota

### Voluntary Statement of Organization for a Political Action or Ballot Question Committee

State law does not require new political action (PAC) or ballot question committees to register with the Secretary of State. Law does however require these committees to file campaign finance reports periodically following the commencement of political activity. This voluntary registration form will give the Secretary of State the information necessary to send your committee the proper reporting forms prior to the deadline for filing.

FULL NAME OF COMMITTEE: \_\_\_\_\_

MAILING ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

COMMITTEE TREASURER: \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_

TYPE OF COMMITTEE (PAC or Ballot Question): \_\_\_\_\_

If you are a ballot question committee, please also indicate the measure which you are supporting or opposing.

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of person submitting voluntary registration



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Office AU #

1210(8)

## CASHIER'S CHECK

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Operator I.D.: sfile5808

sfile5606

January 05, 2005

PAY TO THE ORDER OF

\*\*\*TWO RIVERS RANCH / RON RAGSDALE\*\*\*  
\*\*\*RE: RICHTER FOR SENATE CAMPAIGN\*\*\*

\*\*\*Two hundred fifty dollars and no cents\*\*\*

\*\*\$250.00\*\*

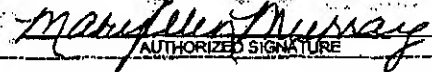
Wells Fargo Bank, N.A.

1040 MAIN ST

STURGIS, SD 57785

FOR INQUIRIES CALL (800) 984-3122

VOID IF OVER US\$ 250.00

  
AUTHORIZED SIGNATURE

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Richter for Senate  
Richard W. Richter  
Mary Ellen Murray, Treasurer  
1203 Baldwin St.  
Sturgis, SD 57785

January 5, 2005

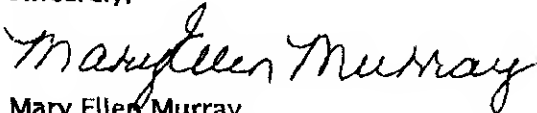
Two Rivers Ranch, Inc.  
Ronald Ragsdale  
HC 86, Box 31  
Elm Springs, SD 57736

Dear Mr. Ragsdale,

Enclosed you will find a cashier's check in the amount of \$250.00. On September 24, 2004 you donated \$500.00 to the Richter for Senate campaign. Unfortunately, South Dakota law allows a maximum personal contribution of \$250.00 per calendar year to a political candidate. So, while we do appreciate your contribution and your support, I am returning \$250.00 to you.

Again, thank you for your support and if you should have any questions, please feel free to contact either myself or Mr. Richard Richter.

Sincerely,



Mary Ellen Murray  
Treasurer Richter for Senate